

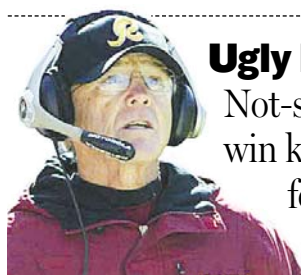
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RESISTANCE: Insurgents, using small arms and mortars, launch an attack on U.S. forces Monday as the long-expected battle for control of Fallujah intensified.

Fight for Fallujah Rages

U.S. troops enter insurgent bastions as assault intensifies

NEAR FALLUJAH, IRAQ | U.S. troops, backed by thunderous air and artillery barrages, launched a ground offensive Monday to seize key guerrilla strongholds inside Fallujah, a city considered the center of the Iraqi insurgency.

A military spokesman estimated 42 insurgents were killed across the city in operations ahead of the main assault, and said two U.S. Marines were killed when their bulldozer flipped over into the Euphrates.

Hours after starting the offensive, U.S. tanks and Humvees from the 1st Infantry Division entered the northeastern Askari neighborhood, the first ground assault into an insurgent bastion.

In the northwestern area of the city, U.S. troops advanced slowly after dusk on the Jolan neighborhood, a warren of alleyways where Sunni militants have dug in. Artillery, tanks and warplanes pounded the district's northern edge, softening the defenses and trying to set off any bombs or boobytraps planted by the militants.

Just outside the Jolan and Askari neighborhoods, Iraqi troops deployed with U.S. forces took over a train station after the Americans fired on it to drive off fighters.

The top U.S. commander in Iraq, Gen.

George Casey, predicted a "major confrontation" in the operation. He told reporters in Washington that 10,000 to 15,000 U.S. troops along with a smaller number of Iraqi forces were encircling the city.

The main force did not appear to have moved deeply into Fallujah on Monday. Most U.S. units appeared to be lined up at the edge of their neighborhoods with some scouts and perhaps special operators venturing inside.

The offensive, code-named Phantom Fury, is considered the most important military effort to re-establish government control over Sunni strongholds west of Baghdad before elections in January. **JIM KRANE (AP)**

❖ **Allawi's defense:** Iraqi PM justifies all-out assault on Fallujah in letter to U.N.'s Kofi Annan | **Page 8**

CRIME | Up In Smoke British thieves saw their dreams of easy cash turn to ashes on Friday after a botched attempt to break into an automated cash machine with a blowtorch, Agence France-Presse reported. The perpetrators used oxyacetylene cutters to try to crack



a gas station ATM near Worcester in central England. But rather than melting their way into the machine, the intense heat instead caused the ATM to catch fire, a police spokesman said. The would-be thieves escaped. **(EXPRESS) EyeOpeners | Page 2**

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LAW ENFORCEMENT

Ogres and Robbers

A Lethbridge, Alberta, police officer was going to a Halloween party as Shrek on Oct. 30 when he stopped to pick up beer. Two people at the store grabbed merchandise and fled, the Canadian Press reported, and the costumed officer pursued. One escaped, but the other gave up. "He was concerned that Shrek was chasing him," one official said. (EXPRESS)

GOLF

Gentleman's Clubs

Two golf course managers and a tournament organizer in Norco, Calif., were sentenced Thursday to house arrest for hosting two competitions featuring prostitutes and strippers along the putting greens. More than a dozen prostitutes — provided by the event organizer — and strippers participated in the so-called "girlie tournaments" in 2002, officials said. About 160 golfers paid \$200 each to play. (AP)

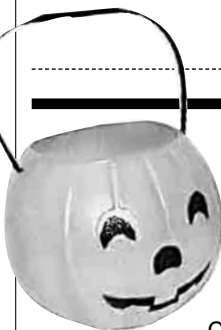
DEGREES OF SEPARATION

Collared Over Shirt

A sweatshirt loaned to a friend in 2002 led to two robbery arrests two states away. A Dubuque, Iowa, ex-high school soccer player gave his sweatshirt, with his name on it, to a friend, who, in turn,

SHOW & TELL Rock Candy

A 6-year-old Orlando girl was suspended after she brought more than \$1,000 worth of crack to school. Tangelo Park Elementary School officials sent a letter home to parents Thursday, explaining that an anti-drug campaign led another student to recognize the more than a dozen pieces of crack. The girl told authorities she picked the crack up at home. The mother, under investigation, said the first-grader got the crack while trick-or-treating. (AP)



FESTIVALS

A Devilish Stage

Mintu Porel, an Indian artist, designed a "pandal," or makeshift stage, in the form of a demon in Calcutta on Monday. An idol of the Hindu goddess Kali will be placed inside the stage for Diwali, the annual Hindu festival of lights, on November 12. (EXPRESS)

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WRONG NUMBER: Readers of the Florida Times-Union got a surprise if they called the phone number listed as a voter hotline on the newspaper's front page on Election Day — the paper mistakenly printed the number for a sex talk service.



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In Brief



Scott Peterson's boat was viewed by jurors in his murder trial on Monday.

REDWOOD CITY, CALIF. Peterson Judge Instructs Jury to Keep an Open Mind

In a sign of possible discord in the jury room, the judge in Scott Peterson's murder case lectured the panel Monday about the importance of deliberating with an open mind. It was not immediately clear what led to the instructions, but trial observers speculated jurors may be reaching a deadlock. Earlier Monday, the judge denied a defense motion for a mistrial after jurors examined the boat prosecutors claim Peterson used to dispose of his wife's body. (AP)

WASHINGTON FBI: Guns, Traffic Accidents Led to Most Police Deaths

The FBI reported Monday that 132 police officers were killed in the line of duty in 2003, with guns and traffic accidents claiming the most lives. Of the total, 49 were killed in traffic accidents and 45 slain with firearms. The totals translate into one officer death every 2.8 days nationally, the FBI estimated. (AP)

Court Halts Detainee Trial

Judge rules Gitmo prisoner entitled to legal hearing on status

GUANTANAMO BAY NAVAL BASE, CUBA | A U.S. federal court ruled Monday that Osama bin Laden's driver was entitled to a legal hearing on whether he is a prisoner of war — a landmark opinion that could prevent military trials of alleged enemy combatants held at Guantanamo Bay.

The government said it would immediately seek a stay of that ruling and file an appeal.

It was the first time a federal court halted legal proceedings before U.S. military commissions, resurrected from World War II, at the Guantanamo Bay Naval Base. No trials have been held, although tentative trial dates for four detainees had been scheduled.

A U.S. District Court judge in Washington halted the pretrial proceedings of Salim Ahmed Hamdan, 34, of Yemen, after his lawyers filed a petition. Hamdan was to be the first detainee tried, on Dec. 7.

The judge rejected the U.S. government's contention that Hamdan and other detainees are not prison-

ers of war but enemy combatants, a classification affording fewer legal protections under the Geneva Conventions. Hamdan was declared an enemy combatant last month by a review tribunal during a hearing his lawyer was barred from.

In Washington, U.S. Justice Department spokesman Mark Corallo said the government would appeal the ruling on the grounds that the Geneva Conventions do not apply to al Qaeda members. (AP)

Legal limbo: Judge rules military trials for detainees are unlawful | Today's Washington Post, A Section

9/11 Victims' Payments Hit \$38.1B

Civilians collected an average of \$3.1M each, according to new study

WASHINGTON | Victims of the Sept. 11 attacks received \$38.1 billion in compensation, with insurance companies picking up the largest portion of the tab, according to a study released Monday.

The report by Rand Institute for Civil Justice found that civilians killed or injured have received an average of \$3.1 million per person from the government, charities and insurance companies.

Emergency personnel killed or injured were given a total of about \$1.9 billion. First responders received an average of \$1.1 million more than civilians with similar economic losses, the study found. Most of the extra money came from charities.

Insurers paid 51 percent of the overall total, or about \$19.6 billion. The government distributed \$15.8 billion, or 42 percent, and charities paid \$2.7 billion, or 7 percent.

The majority of the money went to New York City businesses, which received \$23.3 billion, according to Rand. DEVLIN BARRETT (AP)

9/11 funds: Emergency responders each received about \$1M more than other victims | Today's Post, A Section

NORTHERN LIGHTS | CELESTIAL WONDER



LATE SHOW: Sam Guldán, 21, watches as electrically charged particles from the sun dance across the night sky in a colorful display as the aurora borealis, or Northern lights, makes an appearance in Brookfield, Wis., early Monday.

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McGreevey Says Farewell

N.J. governor offers apology, reflects on term's stunning end

TRENTON, N.J. | A contrite Gov. James E. McGreevey delivered a farewell address Monday in which he said he does not apologize "for being a gay American but rather for having let personal feelings impact my decision-making."

McGreevey, who is to step down Nov. 15, used the speech to list several accomplishments of his administration, but the Democrat also expounded on the soul-searching



Gov. McGreevey waves during his farewell speech in Trenton, N.J., on Monday.

he's done since making his stunning resignation announcement three months ago.

"I am sorry that I have disappointed the citizens of the state of New Jersey who gave me this enormous trust," McGreevey said during the 15-minute address.

The governor announced his resignation on Aug. 12 during a now-famous speech in which he stood in front of the cameras with his wife and parents by his side and declared, "My truth is that I am a gay American."

"I don't look back with bitterness, anger or sorrow. I look forward to seeking knowledge, a journey of self-discovery," the governor told the audience Monday. TOM BELL (AP)

Heart Medicine Developed for Blacks

NEW ORLEANS | A two-drug combination pill dramatically reduced deaths among blacks with heart failure, a landmark finding that is expected to lead to government approval of the first medication marketed for a specific race.

Heart failure affects 5 million

Americans, but blacks are 2½ times more likely to develop it.

Black cardiologists hailed this form of racial profiling after years in which minorities got short shrift in medical studies. Others complained that the drug also might help whites and should have been

tested in them, but wasn't for business reasons.

The nationwide study is the largest ever done solely on blacks with heart failure. The findings were reported Monday at an American Heart Association meeting in New Orleans and will be published Thursday in the New England Journal of Medicine. (AP)



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SWEET TOOTH: Arkansas teachers have been told that it's OK to reward students with candy. Some teachers were directed last month not to hand out sweets as part of the state's battle against obesity.

Card Tells Bush He'll Stay in Job

WASHINGTON | The White House has been mum on personnel and Cabinet changes expected in President Bush's second term, but a man at the center of the anticipated shuffle is staying.

The president asked Andrew Card to remain as White House chief of staff, the president's spokesman Scott McClellan said Monday.



Card

"Andy Card was honored to accept," McClellan said. "He serves at the pleasure of the president just like the rest of us."

Also Monday, Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld would not say during a press conference whether he wants to continue in his job during Bush's second term, telling reporters the matter hasn't been discussed in post-election meetings. (AP)

DETROIT | CRASH SCENE



CARLOS OSORIO/AP

COLLISION: Investigators check the remains of a small plane that crashed in a Detroit neighborhood Monday, hitting at least two houses. The two people on board were taken to a hospital. No one on the ground was injured.

NASA Studying Real-Life 'Rain Man'

SALT LAKE CITY | NASA scientists are studying the man who was the basis for Dustin Hoffman's character in the 1988 film "Rain Man," hoping that technology used to study the effects of space travel will help explain his mental capabilities.

Last week, researchers had autistic savant Kim Peek undergo a series

of tests, the results of which will be melded to create a three-dimensional look at his brain structure.

Not only are Peek's brain and his abilities unique, noted Richard D. Boyle, director of the California center performing the scans, but he seems to be getting smarter in his specialty areas as he ages. (AP)

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Allawi Defends Fallujah Assault to U.N.

U.N.'s Annan had warned against an all-out attack on city

UNITED NATIONS | Iraqi Prime Minister Ayad Allawi insisted that uprooting extremists from Fallujah is the only way "to safeguard lives, elections and democracy in Iraq," rejecting the U.N. chief's warning against attacking the city, according to a letter obtained by The Associated Press on Monday.

Allawi's diplomatic rebuke was in response to Secretary-General Kofi Annan's letter late last week warning the leaders of the United States, Britain and Iraq that an assault on Fallujah could undermine national elections set for January and further alienate Iraqis.

Early Monday, U.S.-led coalition and Iraqi forces launched a long-awaited offensive against Fallujah after Allawi gave the green light.

Iraq's U.N. Ambassador Samir Sumaidaie met Annan on Monday afternoon and told reporters after-

wards that attacking Fallujah was "the least damaging, the least dangerous" option to restore law-and-order to the city.

"I think the secretary-general accepts that this is an Iraqi matter, and a decision must be taken by the Iraqi government," he said. He wouldn't discuss Allawi's letter.

According to a U.N. statement, however, "they discussed their differing perspectives on Fallujah" in "a serious, yet friendly, discussion."

In his three-page letter, Allawi told Annan he could not give violent extremists a veto over Iraq's democracy or let them "continue to terrorize the vast majority of Iraqis."

Allawi said it was "unacceptable" that civilians in parts of the country have been "hijacked by the terrorists and insurgents." He said the extremists had had enough time to join the political process.

Allawi told Annan, "I was a little surprised by the lack of any mention in your letter of the atrocities which these groups have committed." EDITH M. LEDERER (AP)



TREATMENT: A U.S. Marine suffering from burns is treated in a military hospital in Baghdad on Monday. The 31st Combat Support Hospital in Baghdad's Green Zone is preparing for the possibility of high casualties from the Fallujah offensive.

OTHER DEVELOPMENTS IN IRAQ

- **In Baghdad,** militants attacked two churches with car bombs and set off blasts at a hospital, killing at least six people, officials said.
- **A U.S. soldier was killed** when

his patrol was fired on in eastern Baghdad, the military said.

- **A British soldier was killed** and two wounded in an apparent roadside bombing near Baghdad, the British Defense Ministry said.

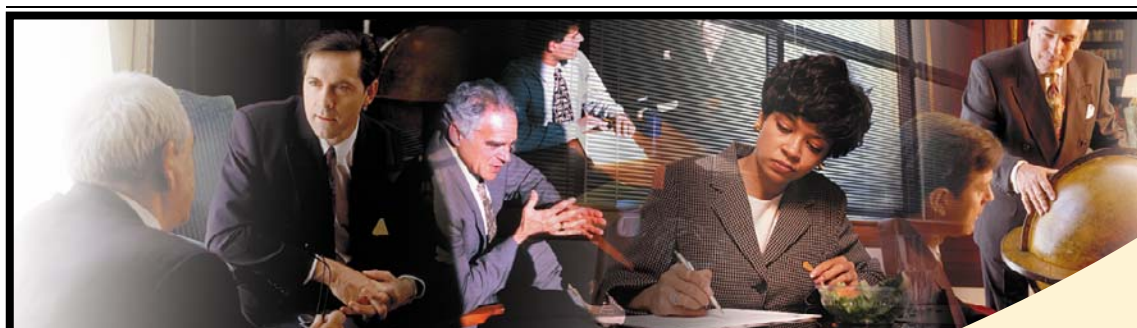
Arabs Mute Reaction to Offensive

BEIRUT, LEBANON | As the long-expected U.S. and Iraqi assault on Fallujah rolled forward Monday, Arab leaders were muted, urging caution as the Iraqi government sought to portray the offensive as a last resort to flush out militants.

Media attention in the region was focused on ailing Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat, which may explain in part why the start of the campaign elicited none of the uproar that met a U.S. attempt last April to storm the insurgent stronghold.

"The Americans picked the right time and circumstances to storm Fallujah," said Maher Shabaytah, a Palestinian guerrilla commander in southern Lebanon.

"We think the Iraqi people need security and stability to rebuild their country," Jordanian government spokeswoman Asma Khader said. Officials in Egypt voiced similar sentiments. SAM F. GHATTAS (AP)



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About Financial Aid

This column, sponsored by American Student Assistance, whose mission is to assist borrowers in successfully completing a program of education financing and repayment, will appear in the *Express* on the second Tuesday of each month. You can "ask Betsy" questions about applying for financial aid, repaying your student loans, or what to do if you're having trouble paying your loans back. Email your questions to askbetsydc@amsa.com or visit www.astudentslife.com.



Called to Iraq
Dear Betsy:

My daughter is in the reserves and was called to active duty at the end of January to participate in our current conflict with Iraq. I thought she had taken care of her finances before she left but I've recently been receiving delinquency notices from her student loan company. I'm sure there's no

way she can talk to them from where she is - is there anything I can do other than pay the loan?

Thank you
-Mary J., Springfield, VA

Dear Mary:

Guidance has been issued to student loan administrators on how to handle this very situation. You should be able to call your daughter's loan holder, tell them who you are and let them know what her current status is. Once they receive this information, they should be able to put your daughter's loan on hold for the next several months or until she returns from active duty. If it should be longer than 12 months, the loan holder will again be contacting you looking for documentation verifying her military status so they can keep the loan on hold. If you have copies of her military orders handy, you may want to try and get that worked out with them now.

Let me know if you have any problems with this or have any further questions. Good luck and best wishes for your daughter.



Lower Interest Rate
Dear Betsy:

I just went through my exit interview for my loans at school and the woman there said something about getting a lower interest rate for paying my loans on time. Is this true?

Sincerely,
Cassie B., Kensington, MD

Dear Cassie:

Some student loan lenders and servicers do offer an incentive for paying your student loans on time. The program I've seen most frequently states that if you make your first 24 or 48 payments on time, the interest rate on your loan will be reduced anywhere from 1 to 2 percent for

the rest of the life of loan. Other options I've seen reduce your interest rate up to 1/4 percent just for allowing them to deduct your payments directly from your bank account every month.

Give your loan holder a call or look up their web site to see if they offer these programs and if so, how you would apply for them. Good luck!!



Teacher Certification
Dear Betsy:

I was a teacher in my country (Peru). I am working as Spanish teacher, but I don't have certification. I would like to know if it is possible to get a loan or other aid so I can go to school to improve myself and obtain my teaching certification. Thank you.

Magda, Washington, DC

Dear Magda:

You can get Federal financial aid to attend school to get the necessary certification to be a teacher but only if you are a U.S. citizen, national or eligible non-citizen (this generally means a green card). Once you apply to school, they will assist you in putting together a financial aid package that may include student loans, grants and maybe even some scholarships.

You may also want to look into any state/district programs that are available. Try looking around at <http://www.k12.dc.us/dcps/home.html> for information on grants and groups that assist people working towards their certification. You also may want to check out <http://www.edupass.org/> that is a web site for international students. The site can help you with financing, free scholarship searches and admission advice as well as some credential evaluation.

Please contact me with any other questions you might have.

World

Arafat's Deputies Irked by His Wife

She tells Al-Jazeera
Palestinians are trying
to 'bury him alive'

CLAMART, FRANCE | Palestinian leaders have arrived in France to check on the critically ill Yasser Arafat, but hospital officials said visiting rights were restricted — setting the stage for a dramatic showdown between the delegation and the Palestinian leader's wife.

Early Monday, Arafat's wife, Suha, accused the traveling party — including top lieutenants Ahmed Qureia and Mahmoud Abbas — of coming to the French capital with the sole intention of usurping Arafat's four-decade-long role as Palestinian leader.

"I tell you they are trying to bury Abu Ammar alive," she shouted, using Arafat's nom de guerre, in a furious telephone call to Al-Jazeera from her 75-year-old husband's bedside.

Suha Arafat, as next of kin, has been controlling who has access to her ailing husband. "He is all right, and he is going home," she insisted Monday.

Suha Arafat, 41, lives in Paris and has not been to the West Bank or seen her husband since the latest round of Palestinian violence began in 2000.



Suha Arafat, on her way to the West Bank city of Ramallah, on Oct. 28.

Her accusation outraged the Palestinian leadership and the Paris trip was abruptly called off. The decision was then reversed and Qureia, the Palestinian prime minister, and Abbas, a former prime minister and deputy chairman of Arafat's Palestine Liberation Organization, arrived in a private jet late Monday at Le Bourget airport, northeast of Paris.

A hospital spokesman said Monday that Arafat remains "stable" in intensive care. LARA SUKHTIAN (AP)

Friction: The Palestinian leader's Sorbonne-educated, tri-lingual wife has been at war with his aides for most of their 14 years of marriage | **Today's Post: Section A**

Iran to Suspend Nuclear Activities, Diplomats Say

VIENNA, AUSTRIA | Iran is expected to announce this week a full suspension of activities that can be used to make nuclear arms as part of a deal with European powers, diplomats said Monday.

Iran's foreign minister also indicated the preliminary agreement negotiated with France, Germany and Britain could be signed soon, but

Iranian hard-liners urged the government to ignore calls to continue the suspension of nuclear activities.

Iran suspended uranium enrichment last year but has repeatedly and at high levels refused to stop other related activities such as reprocessing uranium or building centrifuges, insisting its program is intended purely for the production of fuel for nuclear power generation.

The deal still could collapse because of resistance to cooperation with the Europeans by conservative Iranian leaders, diplomats said on condition of anonymity. (AP)

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World

France: No Plans To Oust Gbagbo

Forces surround home of Ivory Coast's leader; loyalists out in force

ABIDJAN, IVORY COAST | Thousands of government loyalists massed outside the home of Ivory Coast's hard-line president Monday, facing off against French armored vehicles amid fears of an overthrow.

French and Ivory Coast military leaders, appearing together on state television, appealed for calm following three days of violent protests in the country. The Red Cross said more than 500 people had been wounded in the violence. Two hospitals reported five dead.

Chaos erupted Saturday when President Laurent Gbagbo's air force

killed nine French peacekeepers and a U.S. aid worker in an airstrike on Ivory Coast's rebel-held north. The government later called the bombing a mistake. France responded by destroying the country's fledgling air force on Saturday.

On Monday, French armored vehicles moved in around Gbagbo's home in Ivory Coast's commercial capital, Abidjan.

"Their presence here is scaring people. They're crying and they think that President Gbagbo is going to be overthrown," presidential spokesman Desire Tagro said.

The French denied they intended to oust Gbagbo, saying forces only were securing a temporary base at a hotel a few hundred yards away for about 1,300 foreigners. (AP)

BOLIVIA | THE LIFE AFTER



BLESSED: A Bolivian prays with a relative's skull at a church in La Paz on Monday, the Day of the Skulls. Hundreds of Bolivians keep relatives' skulls at home as protection from thieves, and bring them to church to be blessed.

Reports: Chechen Bomb Plotter Killed

MOSCOW | Chechen security forces killed 22 separatist rebels, including the alleged organizer of the assassination of the republic's president, a top republic official said Monday, according to news reports.

Deputy Prime Minister Ramzan Kadyrov was quoted as saying the rebels were killed in the Vedeno region, about 30 miles southeast of

Grozny, the Chechen capital. Kadyrov is the son of Akhmad Kadyrov, the Kremlin-backed Chechen president who was killed May 9 by a bomb at a Grozny stadium.

The dead rebels reportedly included Suleiman Khairulla, whom Kadyrov identified as the self-proclaimed organizer of the stadium bombing, news reports said. (AP)

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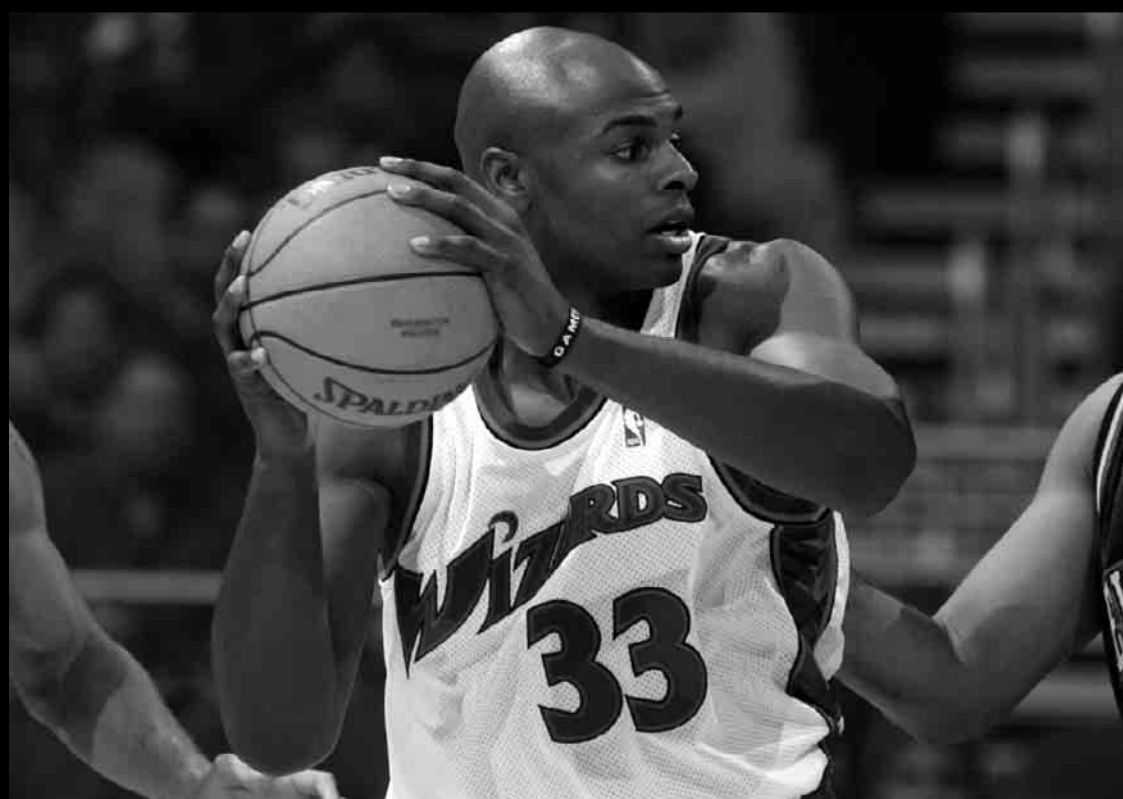
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Local

Mayor Predicts Stadium Victory

**Tuesday is decision
day for D.C. Council
on financing proposal**

WASHINGTON | Mayor Anthony A. Williams predicted Monday he has enough votes in the D.C. Council to approve financing for a ballpark for the Expos in the location agreed to in the team's contract to relocate to the nation's capital.

The Council plans to vote Tuesday, and seven votes are needed for approval.

Council Chair Linda Cropp, saying the site south of the Capitol along the Anacostia River waterfront would be too costly, proposed an alternative plan Friday to construct a stadium next to RFK Stadium and is looking to delay Tuesday's vote.

The mayor said officials from the baseball commissioner's office, which operates the Expos on behalf of the other 29 teams, told him that the RFK site would be a deal-breaker, leaving the future of D.C. base-



Cropp

Williams

ball in jeopardy.

Williams gathered 20 business leaders at a Monday news conference to demonstrate support for his proposal for a \$435 million stadium in Southeast D.C..

But that did not stop Cropp.

"I feel strongly about bringing baseball into this town and making our tax base suffer when there are other ways to do it," Cropp said Monday. But she acknowledged that she does not have the votes to pass her plan and that baseball prefers the waterfront site.

"I am not trying to kill baseball," Cropp said. "If he [Williams] does have the votes, I think I have still accomplished an awful lot."

BRETT ZONGKER (AP)



Poll position: More than two-thirds of area residents are opposed to publicly financing a baseball stadium, according to a Washington Post poll | **Today's Post, A1**

Red Line Service Returns to Normal

WASHINGTON | Commuting in D.C. returned to normal Monday, five days after the train crash at the Woodley Park-Zoo station.

Metro officials reported no problems with the Monday morning rush hour, the first after full service was

restored on the Red Line.

The National Transportation Safety Board is looking at the braking and rollback protection systems, said spokeswoman Debbie Hersman. According to Hersman, the operator of the empty train, Lamont Lewis, told investigators that when he realized his train was rolling backward, he applied all the braking systems, and none worked. (AP)

National Zoo Euthanizes Female Tiger

WASHINGTON | For the second time in less than a week, the veterinarians at the National Zoo have euthanized one of their big cats.

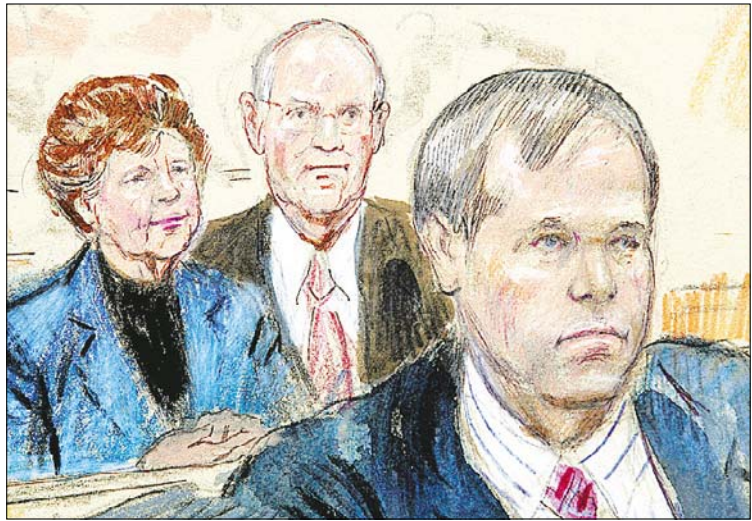
A female Sumatran tiger that had been suffering from a chronic neuromuscular condition was put down Monday. Zoo officials say Kerinci had been having problems walking

in recent weeks and a decision was made to end her suffering.

The zoo has six remaining Sumatran tigers including one female and five males. Three of the males are cubs born last May.

Last Tuesday, zoo veterinarians euthanized a 12-year-old cheetah that was suffering from diabetes. (AP)

Local



A sketch of Hinckley sitting in court on Monday, with his parents in the background.

Judge Hears Arguments Over Hinckley Visits

WASHINGTON | The blond hair is going gray, but the man who shot President Ronald Reagan still looks much as he did 23 years ago. His lawyer argued Monday that John Hinckley is a changed man, however, and ready to live part-time away from the mental hospital.

Hinckley, 49, sat silently in a federal courtroom as a judge began hearing from psychiatrists and others who disagree over whether Hinckley can be trusted to spend days at a time off the hospital grounds.

"There is no evidence that Mr. Hinckley will be dangerous," lawyer Barry Levine told U.S. District Judge Paul Friedman.

Hinckley wants to stay at his parents' home in Williamsburg, Va., for four nights at a time every two weeks. Officials at St. Elizabeths Hospital suggested instead that Hinckley spend Thanksgiving and Christmas with his family this year, before going ahead with regular visits. Federal prosecutors oppose both plans. ANNE GEARAN (AP)

Lighting Blamed for Courthouse Fire

UPPER MARLBORO, MD. | Temporary lighting used in the attic of the old Prince George's County courthouse during renovations caused the fire that destroyed much of the 19th-century building, county fire investigators said Monday.

Based on witness interviews and

analysis of the building, fire investigators determined the electric lighting system sparked the blaze on Wednesday, according to a fire department spokesman, who could not say what specifically about the lighting caused the fire. However, the fire was ruled an accident. (AP)

The Lotteries

Monday, Nov. 8

DISTRICT

Mid-day Lucky Numbers	0-7-2
Evening Lucky Numbers	2-7-6
Mid-day DC 4	8-7-3-1
Evening DC 4	4-0-6-2
Quick Cash	15-22-10-31-1-5
Hot Five	21-7-22-3-11

MARYLAND

Mid-day Pick 3	9-1-4
Evening Pick 3	4-2-8
Mid-day Pick 4	3-1-7-7
Evening Pick 4	4-6-9-8
Match 5	13-15-21-24-27 Bonus: 38

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Mid-day Pick 4	4-0-4-8
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Money

Microsoft Pays \$536M to Novell

Bitter rivals still to fight it out over WordPerfect

WASHINGTON | Software giant Microsoft Corp. opened its wallet again Monday to clear more of its courtroom problems, paying \$536 million to rival Novell Inc. and an undisclosed smaller amount to a trade group that had backed anti-trust complaints by the U.S. government and the European Union.

Novell, a bitter, decades-long rival of Microsoft, said despite the huge payoff it intends to file an anti-trust lawsuit against Microsoft this week over damage a decade ago to its once-popular WordPerfect business software.

The payments announced Monday, however, were enough to persuade both Novell and the D.C.-based Computer and Communications Industry Association to pull out of the legal case

against Microsoft in the European Union, which has determined Microsoft abused its industry dominance and fined it \$600 million. A crucial ruling against Microsoft is expected as early as this month.

Novell said the \$536 million agreement resolves antitrust claims involving the Netware operating system for connecting computers across networks, which competes with Microsoft's dominant Windows software.

But Novell said it will allege in its upcoming antitrust lawsuit that Microsoft acted illegally during the mid-1990s when its Office software eclipsed Novell's WordPerfect word-processing program.

Microsoft's general counsel, Brad Smith, said his company was ready for that court fight. TED BRIDIS (AP)

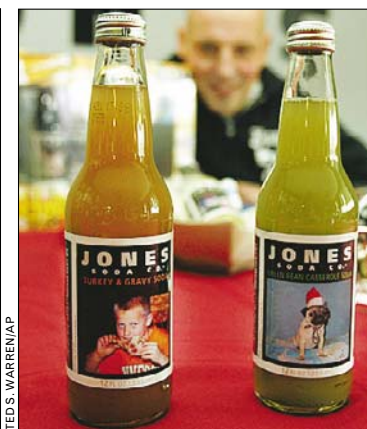
Offer a Holiday Toast, Then Drink Your Turkey

Soda maker bottles a five-course dinner for Thanksgiving Day

SEATTLE | How does Green Bean Casserole Soda strike you? Or an aggressively buttery-smelling Mashed Potato Soda?

Even the creators of the fizzy concoctions at Jones Soda Co. can hardly stomach the stuff. But last year's unexpected success of the Turkey & Gravy Soda means another round of bizarre food-flavored soft drinks. This week it launches a full meal of five Thanksgiving soda flavors, from the bile-colored Green Bean Casserole to the Fruitcake Soda. Last year's Turkey & Gravy is also back on the menu.

If you think it sounds less than appetizing, you're not alone. "Oh, man, I can't drink that!" said CEO Peter van Stolk after pouring himself



Bottles of Turkey & Gravy soda, left, and Green Bean Casserole soda.

a drink of mashed potatoes. To banish the buttery aftertaste, he recommends a chaser of Cranberry Soda.

Beginning Thursday, they'll be on sale at some Target stores and other retailers for between \$14.95 and \$16.95, with proceeds benefiting Toys for Tots. ALLISON LINN (AP)

GIVING CREDIT: Kmart announced the launch of the Kmart Rewards credit card on Monday. Customers will get same-as-cash financing on any purchase over \$100 during the holidays. (AP)



Money

Market Action

New York Stock Exchange

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
StarGsSr	5.35	+1.14	+27.1
ChiYuc	16.94	+2.91	+20.7
PilgrimsPr	33.12	+4.29	+14.9
StdCmcl	18.30	+1.90	+11.6
Equant	4.78	+41	+9.4

Losers

AirNetS	3.08	-.92	-23.0
WolWW	29.18	-2.57	-8.1
ComstkRs	20.49	-1.70	-7.7
SymbIT	14.11	-1.09	-7.2
QtmDSS	2.66	-.20	-7.0

Rates

	CURRENT	PREVIOUS WEEK
Prime Rate	4.75	4.75
Fed Funds close	1.8125	1.875
3-month	2.05	1.95
2-year	2.81	2.60
10-year	4.22	4.09
30-year	4.93	4.89

NASDAQ Stock Market

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
GoAmr rs	4.65	+2.10	+82.4
VCamps	2.45	+.84	+52.2
Bestway	13.01	+3.91	+43.0
Abatix	8.84	+1.85	+26.5
LucileFr	3.26	+.66	+25.4

Losers

UtlElct	2.24	-.36	-13.8
ELXSI	3.35	-.45	-11.8
IntlElec	3.97	-.46	-10.4
PaulaFn	2.15	-.25	-10.4
NitroMd n	23.17	-2.51	-9.8

Currency (Dollars in foreign currency)

	TODAY	PREVIOUS DAY	YEAR AGO
British Pound	.5393	.5387	.5971
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European Euro	.7745	.7715	.8662
Japanese Yen	105.51	105.65	109.26
Mexican Peso	11.4220	11.3840	10.9970
Taiwanese Dollar	33.06	32.90	34.01

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S&P 500



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Biotech Stocks

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	YEAR TO DATE PERCENT CHANGE
Amgen	60.05	-.61	-2.8
ApplBio	19.93	-.01	-3.8
BiogenIdc	60.40	-.46	+64.6
Celgene s	30.03	-.35	+33.8
Chiron	32.20	-.28	-43.5
Genentch s	50.32	-.64	+7.6
Genzyme	54.88	-.62	+11.3
GileadSci s	36.82	-.60	+26.4
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PRESCRIPTIVE: Montana voters last week approved a medical marijuana initiative.

Passing Pot

Medical marijuana laws spread in the West

REGULATION | With Montana's approval of a medical marijuana initiative, nearly three-fourths of Western states now have such laws — while only two of the 37 states outside the West have adopted them.

Why is the West so much more receptive to the idea?

Just 24 states allow citizens to put issues on the ballot by petition. Eleven are in the West.

Political scientists said Westerners are less willing than other Americans to tell their neighbors what they can and can't do.

"Many of the people that voted for it probably don't use marijuana, but they don't want to say their neighbors can't," said Steven Stehr, political science professor at Washington State University.

"Westerners have a stronger belief in kind of individualism in

the old-fashioned frontier sense," said Sven Steinmo, a University of Colorado political scientist.

"Politics in the West are much less constrained," David Olson, political scientist at

the University of Washington, said.

Montana has become the 11th state in the country — and the ninth Western state — to allow medical mari-

juana.

The Montana initiative passed 62 percent to 38 percent, support that marijuana reform groups said was the highest ever for a medical marijuana ballot initiative.

The 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in San Francisco has ruled that states are free to adopt medical marijuana laws so long as the marijuana is not sold or transported across state lines. The Bush administration has appealed the ruling to the U.S. Supreme Court.

In addition to Montana, Western states that allow medical marijuana are Alaska, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Nevada, Oregon and Washington state. Arizona permits marijuana prescriptions.

Maine and Vermont are the only states outside the West with medical marijuana laws. **ANGIE WAGNER (AP)**

Half the Loaf It Used to Be

Low-carb diets fuel demand for smaller packages of bread

PORTIONS | Sometimes, half a loaf is enough.

That's what Wheat Montana Farms & Bakery is finding as it markets loaves of bread with eight slices and two heels — 50 percent less bread than the standard loaf in stores. The regional bakery and grain farm in southwestern Montana next plans to sell burger buns packaged four to a bag.

Wheat Montana ventured into mini-loaves for small households. Then there are the carbohydrate-conscious dieters. Wheat Montana said that for those practically



Grocery store manager Tim Hoffert said people are buying smaller loaves.

bypassing bread, the half loaf satisfies the occasional indulgence.

"Demographics are changing," said Dean Folkvord, Wheat Montana's chief executive. "People

were looking for half a loaf of bread because they can't use a full loaf in a week. It goes bad and they throw it out. Then you have people who can use a whole loaf, but he likes wheat and she likes white."

"We take home hamburger buns from our own bakery and end up throwing half away," said Folkvord, married with two children.

Folkvord finds them willing to pay for the convenience of a package that provides just enough bread, eliminating moldy slices or freezers cluttered with partial loaves that are forgotten, dry out and get discarded.

"We sell quite a bit of each, the wheat and the white," said Tim Hoffert, manager of Van's Thriftway in Helena. **SUSAN GALLAGHER (AP)**

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Sports



HONOR ROLL: D.C. United's Peter Nowak has been nominated for Coach of the Year honors after leading the team to the MLS Cup. He joins Freddy Adu (Rookie of the Year) and Jaime Moreno (MVP, Comeback Player of the Year) in getting post-season honors.

'By Any Means Necessary'

Ugly win puts Redskins in hunt for the playoffs

REDSKINS | Halfway through the season, the Washington Redskins have become the football equivalent of the movie "Groundhog Day."

Every game is low-scoring and suspenseful, with a superb defense trying to overcompensate for an offense with no passing game. The players have come to realize that if they are going to win, the score needs to be in the teens.

So far, the Redskins (3-5) have scored a minimum of 10 points and a maximum of 18. Their opponents' range is 10 to 21 points, except for Green Bay's 28-14 victory, the result of a late touchdown.

"I guess our team's identity is 'By

any means necessary.' We're going to be a team of ugly wins," cornerback Fred Smoot said.

Ugliness has a chance this year in the NFL. Despite the 30th-ranked offense and a four-game losing streak earlier in the season, the Redskins are currently one game out of a wild card spot.

But the offense needs improvement. Quarterback Mark Brunell has thrown for fewer than 100 yards in three of his last four games. He has a league-worst 51.1 percent completion rate, including 37 percent on third downs.

Coach Joe Gibbs gets asked about Brunell's status several

times a week, and the coach always responds with unwavering support and no indication that he will switch to backup Patrick Ramsey. On Monday, Gibbs attributed the passing game's woes to inconsistent blocking and dropped passes before finally acknowledging, "Mark's missed some things."

Gibbs added that he isn't ready to concede that his team is destined to play low-scoring games. "The one part of our team where we can make the biggest jump is throwing the football," he said. "That's what I'm looking forward to. When we get to a point where we are consistent throwing the football, I think our team will take another step in scoring points." JOSEPH WHITE (AP)

Kansas Grabs Top Spot to Start Year

COLLEGE BASKETBALL | Sure, Kansas often grabs a spot in the upper half of the AP preseason college basketball poll, but the school hasn't been No. 1 since a player named Wilt Chamberlain suited up for the Jayhawks in the 1950s.

Kansas stood atop The Associated Press' Top 25 on Monday, the 13th straight season the Jayhawks have been ranked 11th or higher in the first poll.

The Jayhawks received 25 first-place votes and 1,697 points from the national media panel, edging Wake Forest, which had 22 first-place votes and 1,680 points.

Maryland was ranked No. 15 to start the year.

In the women's poll, the Tennessee Lady Vols took the top spot over Texas and LSU. (AP)

HOCKEY | THE IMMORTALS



READY FOR ACTION: Larry Murphy, Paul Coffey and Ray Bourque flip pucks during a ceremony after their induction into the Hockey Hall of Fame on Monday. Also inducted were builder Cliff Fletcher and hockey writer Jim Kelley.

Wizards' Brown Out Until December

WIZARDS | Kwame Brown now has a sprained left ankle to go along with his broken right foot, probably delaying his return to the Washington Wizards until December.

Brown sprained the ankle during practice last week. He has been recovering from surgery on a bro-

ken bone in his right foot, which he injured during a summer pickup game.

Without him, the Wizards are off to a 2-1 start.

"It's not like I'm going to be 100

percent when I come back," Brown said. "I'll just come back and whatever I can give, give it as we go along."

Brown, the No. 1 overall pick in the 2001 draft, is in the final year of his contract, having failed to agree to an extension before the season. (AP)



Tony Kornheiser: Surprisingly, there is still reason to have hope about the Wizards as they enter the second week of the NBA season | **Today's Post, Sports**



Miami's Dwyane Wade was named player of the week in the NBA on Monday, after averaging 28.7 points, 7.7 assists and 6.3 rebounds in the Heat's first three games.

Wade Takes the Lead For Undefeated Miami

Second-year guard is overshadowing Shaq in the Heat's 3-0 start

BASKETBALL | Think Miami's three season-opening wins all came easily? Think again. There was, after all, an 18-second stretch where the Heat trailed an opponent.

OK, so Miami only had to erase a 4-2 deficit to beat the Washington Wizards — the only time Shaquille O'Neal's new team has been behind this season.

Even with O'Neal slowed by a lingering left hamstring strain, Miami is 3-0. No Heat team ever opened 4-0, something this group aims for Tuesday at home against Washington.

"Once you win, everybody gets out of it what they want," said Dwyane Wade, who won the NBA's Eastern Conference player of the week award Monday. "It's all about winning. It's not about the numbers."

Yet this season's numbers are a lot more pleasing than a year ago, when Miami began with a seven-game losing streak. So far, Miami is averaging 103.3 points and shooting 51 percent from the floor, with Wade's averages of 28.7 points, 7.7 assists and 6.3 rebounds leading the way.

Wade has been Miami's high scorer in every game, and he posted career-highs of 37 points and 12 assists, plus eight rebounds, in the Heat's 118-106 victory over Washington on Saturday night.

Asked the biggest reason for the Heat's early success, Wade points to O'Neal.

"Everyone knows Shaq hasn't been Shaq because he's been hurt," Wade said. "Just having him out there creating offense for us, creating open shots for us, is the reason we're getting all that." TIM REYNOLDS (AP)



Tell all: Shaquille O'Neal discusses his final season as a member of the L.A. Lakers | **Today's Post, Sports**

Sports



GIANT LOSS: Michael Strahan, seen here flexing his muscle, has been the New York Giants' leader for years. Now, though, he must rehabilitate a pectoral injury.

Strahan Out for Season

FOOTBALL | All-Pro defensive end Michael Strahan will miss the rest of the New York Giants' season with a torn pectoral muscle.

Strahan, the NFL's all-time single-season sacks leader, was hurt Sunday in the third quarter of a 28-21 loss to the Chicago Bears. The 12-year veteran reached out with his arm to attempt a tackle on Anthony Thomas and his arm was bent back.

The news was doubly bad for the Giants on Monday because fellow starting defensive end Keith Washington tore an anterior cruciate ligament in his left leg and will also miss the rest of the season. (AP)

MORE INJURIES

NEW YORK JETS QUARTERBACK

Chad Pennington is out two-to-four weeks with a sprained shoulder suffered in Sunday's loss to the Buffalo Bills.

JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS QUARTERBACK

Byron Leftwich, a D.C. native, will probably miss at least two weeks with a sprained left knee, which he injured on Oct. 31. The Jaguars had a bye on Sunday. (AP)

● **NFL Insider:** Mark Maske will discuss news around the NFL at 10 a.m. | washingtonpost.com/liveonline

Crosby, Bay Win Rookie Awards

BASEBALL | Oakland Athletics shortstop Bobby Crosby was just a vote shy of being a unanimous pick for AL Rookie of the Year, and Pittsburgh Pirates outfielder Jason Bay easily won the NL award Monday.

Crosby received 27 of 28 first-

place votes in balloting by the Baseball Writers' Association of America for 138 points. Chicago White Sox closer Shingo Takatsu received the other first-place vote and finished second with 44 points, followed by Baltimore pitcher Daniel Cabrera with 29 points.

Bay, the first Pittsburgh player and first native Canadian to win the NL award, got 25 of 32 first-place votes and 146 points. (AP)

TODAY'S TV LINEUP

BASKETBALL (7:30 P.M. ON COMCAST) The Washington Wizards try to exact revenge on the Miami Heat, which beat the Wizards on Saturday night at the MCI Center.

BASKETBALL (7:30 ON NBA-TV) The Portland Trail Blazers make their way to New

Jersey to face Alonzo Mourning and the Nets.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL (7:30 P.M. ON ESPN2) Northern Illinois (7-2, 4-0), ranked No. 22 in the Coaches' Poll, tries to stay atop the MAC with a victory over Toledo (6-3, 2-3).

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Sports



CITY OF ANGELS: Baseball commissioner Bud Selig has given permission to owner Arte Moreno to rename the Anaheim Angels the Los Angeles Angels, the Los Angeles Times is reporting. Anaheim city officials plan to fight the change.

In Brief

BASEBALL

Expos Release Pitcher Biddle

The Expos released relief pitcher Rocky Biddle on Monday, the team's first roster move since the announcement that the team was moving to Washington. Biddle was the team's closer in 2003, leading the Expos with a career-high 34 saves, but he lost the job to Chad Cordero in June after blowing a save

against Cincinnati. Biddle, 28, was 4-8 this year with 11 saves and a 6.92 ERA in 47 games, including nine starts. (AP)

TELEVISION

Fox, CBS Keep NFL Games

The NFL agreed Monday to contract extensions with Fox and CBS to televise Sunday afternoon games for six more years, deals worth a combined \$8 billion. The current contract, which expires after the 2005 season, was worth \$17.2 billion, including the Sunday night

and Monday night packages with ESPN and ABC. The deals give the NFL the option to move seven late-season games from Sunday to Monday night to feature more attractive matchups. (AP)

LEGAL TROUBLES

Danton Gets 7.5 Years for Trying to Have Agent Killed

Former NHL tough guy Mike Danton was sentenced Monday to 7½ years in prison for trying to have his agent killed. Danton, 24, said nothing as U.S. District



Bob Haar, Danton's attorney, discusses the 7.5 year sentence on Monday.

Judge William Stiehl imposed the sentence on the former St. Louis Blues player. (AP)

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Utah Falls to 7th in BCS

Utah slipped one spot to seventh in the Bowl Championship Series Standings on Monday, a drop that could cost the unbeaten Utes a berth in one of the four big-money bowl games. The top five in the BCS stayed the same, with USC, Oklahoma and Auburn leading the way, followed by California and Wisconsin. (AP)

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Entertainment



ALL ABOARD: Tom Hanks in the reference facial dot image, left, and the final rendering, right. "Polar Express" uses a new technique called Performance Capture.

Next Stop, North Pole

The classic 'Polar Express' glides smoothly from book to big screen

ADAPTATIONS | A wide-eyed boy in a cozy blue robe and yellow pajamas has his hope and faith tested in the book "The Polar Express."

But Chris Van Allsburg, who wrote and illustrated the children's classic almost 20 years ago, insists he did not base the adventurous child on himself.

Still, the bedroom from which the boy peers out to see if Santa Claus is on his way could be the very same room where Van Allsburg spent many Christmas Eves wondering the very same thing. And the

quiet, snow-covered streets that swirl past the window after the boy boards a giant steam train to take him to the North Pole certainly were inspired by the Grand Rapids, Mich., neighborhood in which Van Allsburg lived as a child.

"It started out ... as a story about a train," said the author, "the idea of a train standing still in the forest of the winter ... and then I thought, 'It's winter and I'd be able to go anywhere, where would I want to go?' Then it occurred to me, where else would I want to be on Christmas

Eve other than the North Pole?"

It is the illustrations — done in Van Allsburg's rich, oil-painting style — that are so important to the mood of the book. But transferring those images to the upcoming film starring Tom Hanks didn't come easily.

"Polar Express" is the first full-length feature that uses a new filmmaking technique called Performance Capture. Sensors are attached to actors to record their movements, which then are blended with computer graphics.

Van Allsburg worked with Hanks, director Robert Zemeckis and screenwriter William Broyles Jr. to help expand the plot. In the movie, the boy spends more time at the world's northern fringe and gets to know new characters.

Everyone shared the desire to maintain the themes, tonality and the visual imagery of the book, according to Van Allsburg.

"The danger here was adding things ... We wanted to make a story that wasn't just puffed up with hot air but that extended the theme and looked at the trip as an adventure," he said. SAMANTHA CRITCHELL (AP)

Hip to Be Square

Leonard Cohen ages gracefully into the role of courtly poet

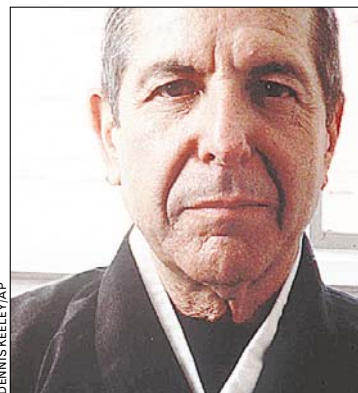
MUSIC | Leonard Cohen is an old man now, but the Canadian-born crooner once was cool.

Just being himself gave the world a new breed of ladies' man — a mix of dark suits, an I-don't-give-a-damn smirk, an esoteric gaze focused on something no one else could see.

Unfortunately, his albums have become spoken-word duds lost in industry blur, and the man's songs don't have the poetic poignancy they once did.

The irony is that Cohen at 70 knows this. He's a hip anachronism that's been around long enough to see the fads come and go, and his new album, "Dear Heather" (Columbia), isn't another attempt to redefine cool.

Instead it reveals the reflections of a poet who reluctantly became a



OLD MAN IN: Cohen just grows wiser.

rock star long ago.

That honesty is the album's charm. Cohen, who changed identities with his 1988 release

"Death of a Ladies Man," is longing for memories but settled in the life he made.

"Because of a few songs where in I spoke of their mystery, women have been exceptionally kind to my old age," Cohen speaks in "Because Of," his voice no longer the majestic baritone it once was.

It seems Cohen doesn't want to be a rock star anymore. He's grown tired of couching his visions in song.

But he's still the wise man with unanswerable questions. Not even he knows what he'll be next. "From better searching of the heart," Cohen sings, "we will rise to play a greater part." RYAN LENZ (AP)

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Weird Will: 'Pericles' at Shakespeare

No one said it would be easy, but Shakespeare Theatre — and brave director Mary Zimmerman — are boldly mounting a production of Shakespeare's weirdly un-Shakespearean history, "Pericles."

Shakespeare Theatre, 450 7th St. NW; through Jan. 2, \$23-\$68; 202-547-1122. (Gallery Place-Chinatown)

Starlet Rock: Juliette & the Licks

No, Juliette & The Licks is not a joke; frontwoman and actress Juliette Lewis insists rocking out, man, is her full-on, ragin' destiny. Still, it's so goofy, this may be the only movie-star band curious ticket-buyers go see thanks to the performance.

Black Cat, 1811 14th St. NW; with Salem, Full Minute of Mercury 8:30 p.m., \$10; 800-551-7328. (U St.-Cardozo)



You'd look faintly shamed, too, in the presence of a writhing Juliette Lewis.

Musical, Comedy: Owen-Shearer

She's pretty, she sings beautifully, so why would Judith Owen let goofball husband Harry Shearer join her onstage? She must have a great sense of humor.

Iota, 2832 Wilson Blvd., Arlington; 8:30 p.m., \$13; 703-522-8340. (Clarendon)

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HOME IN ROME: Morricone is also the prolific composer of non-soundtrack music.

When Yo-Yo Met Ennio

The cellist interprets the movie music of composer Morricone

COLLABORATIONS | Ennio Morricone has composed some of the most moving melodies ever written for films — music that enraptures Yo-Yo Ma.

"I've loved his music as long as I can remember," the 49-year-old cellist said. "I just swoon when I hear it."

Now, Ma and Morricone have collaborated on an album that contains 19 of the prolific Italian composer's works. At Ma's request, Morricone re-orchestrated the music to feature solo cello with an orchestra accompaniment.

"Yo-Yo Ma Plays Ennio Morricone" (Sony Classical) is a string of luscious music featuring the singing voice of Ma's cello. One selection, "Ecstasy of Gold" from director Sergio Leone's "The Good, The Bad and The Ugly," is an exuberant horse ride through syncopated passages, brushed spiccato bow strokes and the upper reach-

es of the cello's register. The other songs are filled with warm, thick harmonies and gripping melodies that gush with tenderness.

Besides music from Leone's spaghetti Westerns starring Clint Eastwood, the album includes music for director Roland Joffe's "The Mission" and Giuseppe Tornatore's "Malena" and "Cinema Paradiso."

The music also inspired four University of Southern California film students to create video settings for four of the tracks. The videos will be released in January on Sony Classical's first DualDisc.

Ma's longtime desire to work with the 76-year-old Morricone became reality after the cellist performed Tan Dunn's music for "Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon" at the 2001 Academy Awards. Dun won the Oscar for best score. Among the other nominees: Morricone for "Malena."

"Inspiration does not exist," said the composer. "What exists is an idea, a minimal idea that the composer develops at the desk, and that small idea becomes something important." MARTIN STEINBERG (AP)

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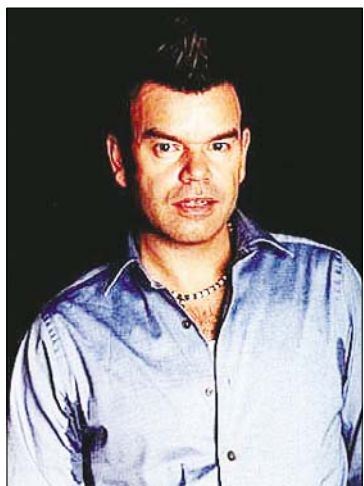
PROJECTS | For the past several months, Paul Oakenfold has been working on his second Maverick album. And while the DJ/producer says he has nearly completed the set, he admits he is having a difficult time finishing it.

"I've recorded many songs with a bunch of singers, but I don't know if I'm going to keep any of them," Oakenfold said. "I'm musically comfortable with the tracks, but I'm now trying to find two unknown singers — a man and a woman — to spotlight."

Oakenfold credits his uncertainty to not feeling very inspired lately. "It's as if I've hit a brick wall," he said.

This could be due to an incredibly busy work schedule, which includes scoring video games ("GoldenEye: Rogue Agent," due Nov. 17 from Electronic Arts) and developing the concept for and starring in the reality TV series "The Club."

Shot at the Ice Meta Club in Las Vegas, "The Club," which focuses



BUSY BE: Oakenfold is expanding from albums into video games and even TV.

on DJs, dance-music enthusiasts and nightlife culture, premieres Wednesday on Spike TV. Naturally, music will play a major role in the show, with many of the featured tracks appearing on an accompanying soundtrack to be released early next year by Oakenfold's label, Perfecto.

Oakenfold said working on "The Club" has opened his mind to other film and TV opportunities. "I'm learning a lot these days. I'm now working on a concept for a feature film."

COURTESY PAUL OAKENFOLD.ORG

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Get It While You Can:
Avril Lavigne

4 Sassy teen-pop girlie Avril Lavigne likes to make threatening faces, flip photographers the bird and talk garbage about the competition (cover in fear, Hilary Duff!) whether anyone asks her or not. And she still has the nerve to charge her tween fans 40 big ones for a show. Is that



Lavigne takes a break from making "angry punk face" to flash her fangs.

in Canadian dollars?

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REVENGE OF THE NERDS: The week before "The O.C." returns, songs by underground band and Seth Cohen fave Bright Eyes hit numbers 1 and 2 on the



Hot 100 Singles chart. Young singer-songwriter Conor Oberst, who essentially is Bright Eyes, scored with "Lua" and "Take It Easy (Love Nothing)."

Mash-Ups Play Dress-Up

MAINSTREAMING | The mash-up, a favorite pastime among hackers and online music traders, is going legit.

"MTV Ultimate Mash-Ups," hopes to capitalize on the craze, in which computer users "mash" together songs to produce surprising new results. The series premiere

Wednesday at 10:30 p.m. features Jay-Z rapping with Linkin Park.

Recorded live at West Hollywood's Roxy Theatre, the artists create some unlikely combinations, such as Jay-Z's cocky "Dirt Off Your Shoulder" with Linkin Park's rage-filled "Lying From You." The show also features footage of the

musicians rehearsing in the studio. A CD/DVD of the performance will be released Nov. 30.

Like downloading, mash-ups have been popular with music fans but not with the music industry. After DJ Danger Mouse released an album mixing Jay-Z with the Beatles, he received a cease-and-



CHANGE PARTNERS: Linkin Park, above, pairs with Jay-Z for a mash-up.

desist order from EMI, which owns the Beatles' recordings.

Still, mash-ups regularly appear online, and San Francisco radio station Live 105 has even begun airing them. One favorite is "Faint Britney," which mixes Linkin Park's "Faint" with Britney Spears' "Toxic."

"I don't believe in sectioning off music," Jay-Z said at a screening of the new show. "You'll catch me listening to Sarah McLachlan."

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ROUND TWO: UPN has re-upped two of its grown-up new series. "Veronica Mars" and "Kevin Hill" weren't super-performers early on, but critics smiled on the dramas and their ratings inched up far enough to please UPN brass.



Television

ON TV TONIGHT

SO RUN FOR PRESIDENT

The Rev. Al Sharpton hosts **I HATE MY JOB** (9 p.m., Spike), an eight-part career "makeover" show. "Hate" dares men in dead-end or unfulfilling occupations to see if they have what it takes to pursue their dreams. The Rev. Sharpton ends up serving as a kind of Wizard of Oz, showing some of them that they always had the talent and power, and only needed a little push in the right direction.

OG, LOOK! RIVER!

NOVA (8 p.m., PBS) The discovery of ancient weapons challenges long-established theories on "America's Stone Age Explorers."

IN NEW YORK? NO WAY!

NYPDBLUE (10 p.m., ABC) A commuter

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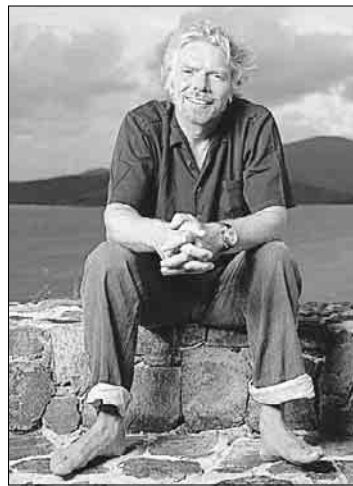
Hitting the scales again and again on a 90-minute episode of **THE BIGGEST LOSER** (8 p.m., NBC). KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

The Ego Eccentric

Richard Branson is reality TV's latest poor little rich boy

DEBUT | If you think Donald Trump is the world's most shameless self-promoting tycoon, you stand corrected. British billionaire Richard Branson hosts and dominates "The Rebel Billionaire: Branson's Quest for the Best" (8 p.m., Fox).

Branson has assembled a team of photogenic would-be business leaders from a pool of applicants. He asks them to compete in a number of "Fear Factor"-like challenges.



THE ROOT OF ALL EVIL: Branson sets up scary challenges for his acolytes.

In the first hour, they must walk across a platform between two hot-air balloons floating thousands of feet above the English countryside. Then, two unlucky souls who failed must climb a 150-foot rope ladder to the very top of the balloon to join Sir Richard for a tea party.

This has little or nothing to do with business training or acumen and everything to do with keeping Sir Richard's mug on camera at all times.

In fact, as Branson's young acolytes arrive at a vast estate, they are unaware the scruffy and slightly insane-looking cabbie is really Sir Richard. After he reveals his real identity, he "fires" two of the applicants for treating the cab driver with disrespect. KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

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LOCAL CHANNELS	WRC [4] News	The Simpsons	Friends	Seinfeld	The Rebel Billionaire: Branson's Quest for the Best (Series Premiere) (N)	My Wife and Kids	Veronica Mars	Scrubz	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)	News	Friends	The Tonight Show
	WTTG [5] The Simpsons	The Simpsons	Friends	Seinfeld	The Rebel Billionaire: Branson's Quest for the Best (Series Premiere) (N)	My Wife and Kids	Veronica Mars	Scrubz	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)	News	Friends	The Tonight Show
	WJLA [7] News	ABC Wld News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	The 38th Annual CMA Awards Festivities honor excellence in country music at Nashville's Grand Ole Opry.	My Wife and Kids	Veronica Mars	Scrubz	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)	News	Friends	The Tonight Show
	WUSA [9] News	CBS News	USA Tonight	Ent. Tonight	The 38th Annual CMA Awards Festivities honor excellence in country music at Nashville's Grand Ole Opry.	My Wife and Kids	Veronica Mars	Scrubz	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)	News	Friends	The Tonight Show
	WDCA [20] Girlfriends	Girlfriends	Malcolm-Mid.	Malcolm-Mid.	All of Us (N)	Eve (N)	Veronica Mars	Scrubz	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)	News	Friends	The Tonight Show
	WMPT [22] The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)	Business Rpt.	Outdoors Md.	Nova (N)	Nova (N)	Nova (N)	Veronica Mars	Scrubz	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (N)	News	Friends	The Tonight Show
	WETA [26] BBC World News	Business Rpt.	BBC World News	MoneyWise	American Experience	History Detectives	History Detectives	History Detectives	History Detectives	History Detectives	History Detectives	History Detectives
	WHUT [32] Business Schl	Primary Focus	BBC World News	MoneyWise	American Experience	History Detectives	History Detectives	History Detectives	History Detectives	History Detectives	History Detectives	History Detectives
	WBDC [50] The Parkers	Steve Harvey	The Parkers	Steve Harvey	Gilmore Girls	Gilmore Girls	Gilmore Girls	Gilmore Girls	Gilmore Girls	Gilmore Girls	Gilmore Girls	Gilmore Girls
BASIC CABLE	A&E City Confidential	American Justice: It's Not My Fault	Biography "Henry Lee Lucas" (N)	Cold Case Files (N)	Bounty Hunter	Bounty Hunter	Crossing Jordan "Four Fathers" (N)					
	Animal The Crocodile Hunter	Most Extreme "Daredevils"	Austin Stevens: Snakemaster (N)	Most Extreme "Predators"	Animal Cops Houston	Animal Cops Houston	BET Nightly News	BET Style				
	BET 106 & Park: BET's Top 10 Live	BET Style	The Parkers	Girlfriends	Walk of Fame "A Tribute to Smokey Robinson" Honoring Smokey Robinson.	Celebrity Poker Showdown	The West Wing					
	Bravo (3:00) *** "Short Cuts" (1993)	The West Wing	Manhunt: Search for Male Model	Crank Yankers	Reno 911	South Park	Chappelle's Show	Wanda Does It (N)	The Daily Show	Chappelle's Show		
	Comedy Mouthing Off	Crossballs	The Daily Show	Mad TV	Forensic Files	North Mission	Masterminds	Caught	Extreme Evidence	Extreme Evidence		
	Court NYPD Blue "Safe Home" (N)	Cops	Cops	The Investigators	Off-Shore Oil Platforms (N)	Wing Nuts "C-54, Where Are You?"	Dr. G: Medical Examiner	Dr. G: Medical Examiner				
	Discovery American Chopper	Monster Nation	Twins by Surrogacy	Babies: Special Delivery	Babies: Special Delivery	Twins by Surrogacy	Twins by Surrogacy	Twins by Surrogacy				
	DISCH Chicago Hope "Guns 'N Roses" (N)	Trauma: Life in the ER	Twins by Surrogacy	Babies: Special Delivery	Babies: Special Delivery	Twins by Surrogacy	Twins by Surrogacy	Twins by Surrogacy				
	Disney Even Stevens	Lizzie McGuire	Sister, Sister	That's So Raven	*** "Oliver & Company" (1988) Billy Joel	Mr. Whiskers	Lizzie McGuire	Sister, Sister	Even Stevens	Boy Meets World		
	E! Usher	El News (N)	It's Good to Be	O'Neals: The El True Hollywood Story	*** "Sleeping With the Enemy" (1991) Julia Roberts, Patrick Bergin.	Designers'	Designers'	Designers'	Designers'	Designers'		
	FX Fear Factor	King of the Hill	King of the Hill	House Hunters	Designed to Sell	Designer Finals	Divine Design	Whose Line?	Whose Line?	The 700 Club		
	HGTV Wknd Warriors	Landscapers	Curb Appeal	House Hunters	Designed to Sell	Designer Finals	Divine Design	Whose Line?	Whose Line?	The 700 Club		
	Family 7th Heaven "Bowling for Eric"	Smallville "Redux"	Smallville "Redux"	Modern Marvels "The Berlin Wall"	Wild West Tech "Six-Shooter Tech"	Modern Marvels	Mail Call	Modern Marvels (N)	In Search of History			
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	Lifetime The Golden Girls	*** "Mr. and Mrs. Loving" (1996, Drama)	Timothy Hutton: Premiere	Laguna Beach	Laguna Beach	The Real World	The Real World	The Real World	The Real World	The Real World		
	MTV Simple Plan	Battle for Ozzfest	Jimmy Neutron	Fairly Oddparents	SpongeBob	Ned's School	Fatherhood	Full House	Fresh Prince	The Cosby Show	Roseanne	Roseanne
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	USA The District "Fools Russian" (N)	JAG "Yesterday's Heroes" (N)	JAG "Yesterday's Heroes" (N)	JAG "Yesterday's Heroes" (N)	JAG "Yesterday's Heroes" (N)	JAG "Yesterday's Heroes" (N)	JAG "Yesterday's Heroes" (N)	JAG "Yesterday's Heroes" (N)	JAG "Yesterday's Heroes" (N)	JAG "Yesterday's Heroes" (N)	JAG "Yesterday's Heroes" (N)	JAG "Yesterday's Heroes" (N)
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	MSNBC The Abrams Report (Live)	Hardball (Live)	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Deborah Norville Tonight (Live)	Scarborough Country (Live)	Hardball						
MOVIES	AMC (5:45) *** "Harlem Nights" (1989, Comedy-Drama) Eddie Murphy, 'R'	*** "True Lies" (1994) Arnold Schwarzenegger. A man lives the double life of a spy and a family man, 'R'	*** "The Real McCoy" (1993)									
	TCM *** "Pride and Prejudice" (1940) Greer Garson, 'NR' (DVS)	*** "West Side Story" (1961) Natalie Wood. Tragedy clouds the romance of two young lovers, 'NR' (DVS)	*** "Casablanca" (1942) 'PG'									
	HBO (5:30) *** "The Secret Garden" (1915) *** "Just Married" (2003, Comedy) Ashton Kutcher, 'PG-13'	*** "Cheaper by the Dozen" (2003) Steve Martin, 'PG'	Polar Express	The Wire "Back Burners" (N)								
	MAX The Medallion (N) *** "Judge Dredd" (1995) Sylvester Stallone, 'R' (DVS)	(15) *** "Half Past Dead" (2002, Action) Steven Seagal, 'PG-13'	*** "The Ring" (2002, Horror) Naomi Watts, David Dorfman, 'PG-13'									
	SHOW (4:35) CrissCross (25) *** "Swimming" (2000) Lauren Ambrose, 'R'	*** "Double Whammy" (2001) Denis Leary, 'R' (DVS)	(35) *** "Crime Spree" (2003) Gérard Depardieu, 'R'	(15) *** "Dark Blue" (2002) 'R' (DVS)								
	TMC *** "Slow Dancing in the Big City" (1978) Paul Sorvino, 'PG'	*** "The Usual Suspects" (1995) Stephen Baldwin, 'PG'	(45) *** "Color of Night" (1994, Suspense) Bruce Willis, Jane March, Ruben Blades, 'R' (DVS)									
	STARZ! (5:15) *** "Dangerous Minds" 'R'	*** "Houseguest" (1995, Comedy) Sinbad, Phil Hartman, 'PG'	*** "2 Fast 2 Furious" (2003, Action) Paul Walker, Tyrese, 'PG-13'	*** "Freddy vs. Jason" (2003) 'R'								
	ENCORE *** Man Trouble (35) *** "The Adventures of Milo and Otis" (1989) 'G'	*** "My Girl" (1991) Macaulay Culkin, 'PG'	(45) *** "Kindergarten Cop" (1990) Arnold Schwarzenegger, 'PG-13'	(40) Rhinestone								



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Sports

Basketball programs look to video games to help train players

Memphis forward Simplice Njoya sat hunched over a laptop, testing a theory first studied on Israeli fighter pilots.

The premise: Skills he picks up playing a computer game can make him a better basketball player.

"It's going to be the weight room for the brain," Memphis assistant coach Ed Schilling said.

The on-screen action is designed to work on the visual and decision-making skills a player needs. Basketball programs at Memphis and Kentucky are testing the game.

Called IntelliGym, the game was created by Israeli company Applied Cognitive Engineering Inc. The company's research supervisor, Daniel Gopher, first tested the idea on Israeli pilot cadets in the 1980s.

Gopher and colleagues at the Technion-Israel Institute of Technology said in a 1994 report that cadets who played the game "performed significantly better" than other trainees in test flights.

ACE said the basketball training game is based on the same principles.

Video games are used for everything from preparing soldiers for battle to helping surgeons improve hand-eye coordination, said Marc Prensky, author of the book, "Digital

Game-Based Learning."

Video games can shorten reaction time for processing visual information, Daphne Bavelier, a professor of cognitive sciences at the University of Rochester, said. She said young adults who played video games had better visual skills than those who didn't.

In IntelliGym, two sets of figures

LAPTOP DRILLS: Coach Ed Schilling hopes video games will sharpen Alamy Thiero's play on court.

move across a screen.

A player tries to attach one of the smaller figures to a larger one to steal its "energy." The player also must "shoot" to transfer power from one small figure to another as openings appear. The game gets progressively more difficult and is adjusted depending on a players' strengths or weaknesses.

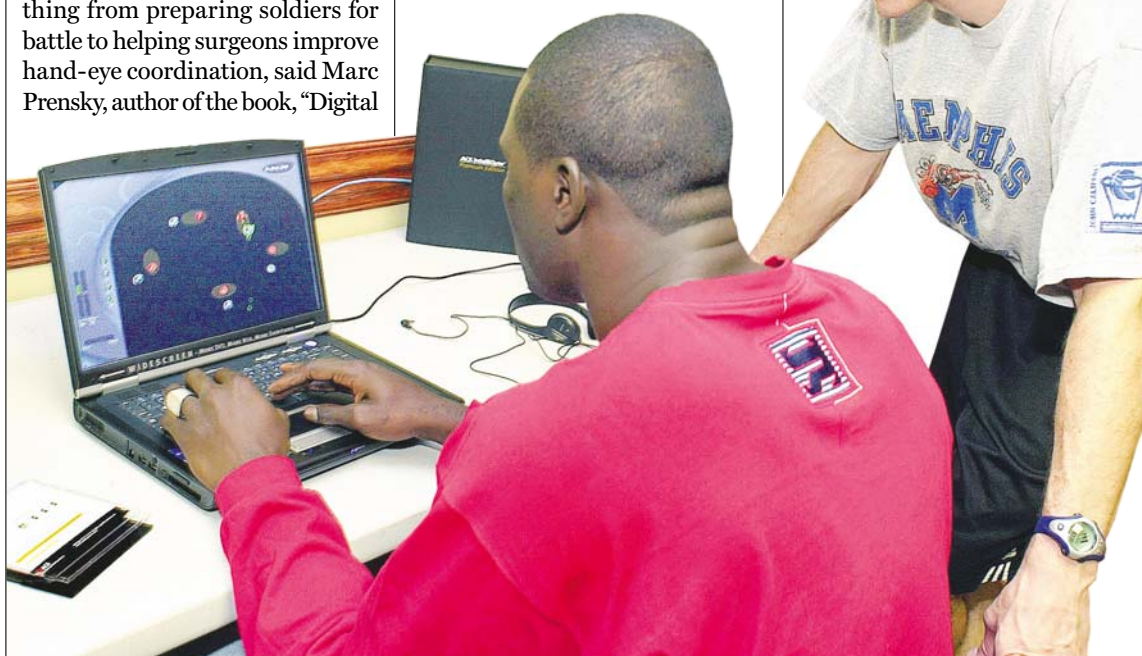
The idea is to increase the player's ability to focus on several things, recognize patterns among moving objects and make decisions quickly.

"You keep moving, so you've got to constantly deal with what's the best decision," Njoya said. "It's like when you're driving with the ball. Who's in the open? Who's being guarded?"

"If it decreases one turnover a game, that's the difference between winning or losing maybe two games in a season," Schilling said.

"Perhaps in 10 years or so, this will be standard," he said.

Not all players are fans. "It's boring once you get the hang of it," Memphis player Jeremy Hunt said. WOODY BAIRD (AP)



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D.C. Baseball

Mayor Williams

Mayor **ANTHONY WILLIAMS** was online Monday to discuss his plan for a stadium in Anacostia and opposition on the D.C. Council | washingtonpost.com/liveonline

Has D.C. Council Chairwoman Linda Cropp been in touch with Major League Baseball? If so, what is their position on her plan for a stadium near RFK?

She has and they've told her what they've told me. You committed to a deal. Period. This would break that commitment.

How confident are you that you can get the seven votes needed in the D.C. Council?

As confident as I can be with a legislative process. Look, this is about keeping our commitment. Baseball did not want to come to D.C., we lured them here and agreed to the Anacostia site. We've already gone over RFK with them and they don't want it. Do we want baseball or not? Do we want economic development with baseball or not? These are the questions.

It seems that elsewhere citizens vote on publicly-funded stadiums. Why haven't you pushed for us to vote?

First, we don't have the time. Second, I was elected to represent my constituents. I know I face a

penalty if the citizens don't agree with me, but that's leadership, not followship.

Can you explain why the South Capitol Street site is advantageous for the District given its higher cost, and the fact that the District has substantial needs in other areas, most notably for a public hospital?

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Can MLB back out of the deal or will the Expos be moving here anyway?

MLB may play temporarily at RFK. But they will not play there permanently. It's not on the table. That's why this talk of an alternative is just that, talk.

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Letters

Metro Needs to Plan Ahead

IN RESPONSE TO Monday's letter on Metro, I agree that Metro needs more funding. But I've also seen a marked decline in Metro's service and reliability over the past year and

a half, which is a management issue as well as a financial one. The most common excuse I hear is that the fleet and infrastructure is aging. That certainly is true but hardly unanticipated. Why was this not planned for? Even if all the people who have issues with Metro drive their own cars, Metro will still have an aging infrastructure. As of last

week's accident, I am now a MARC rider. I've had enough.

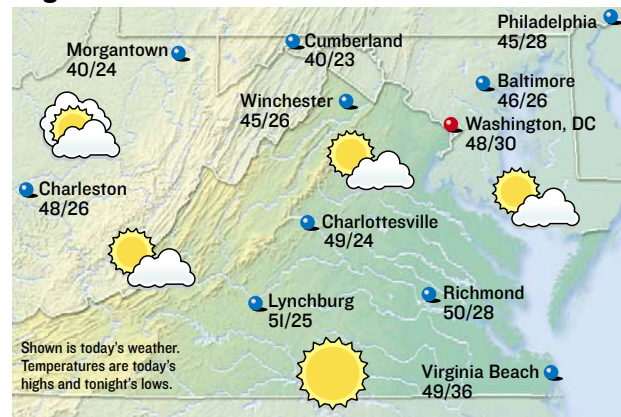
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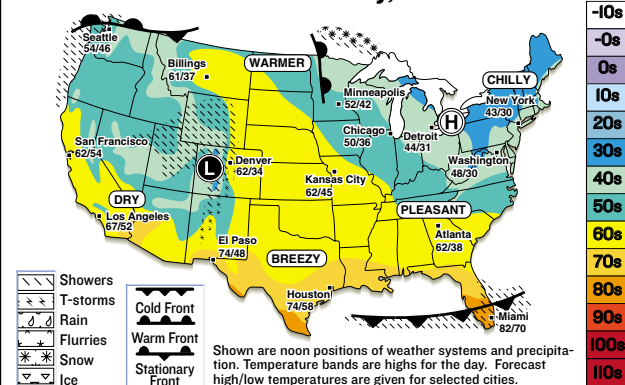
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Sunrise today	6:44 a.m.
Sunset tonight	4:59 p.m.
Moonrise today	3:13 a.m.
Moonsset today	3:26 p.m.



National Weather for Tuesday, November 9



National Cities

City	Today	Wed.
Atlanta	62/38/s	60/43/s
Boston	40/26/s	42/34/pc
Chicago	50/36/s	60/38/pc
Dallas	67/53/pc	70/48/t
Denver	62/34/sh	45/24/r
Honolulu	86/72/sh	86/72/sh
Los Angeles	67/52/pc	69/54/pc
Miami	82/70/sh	80/69/sh
New York City	43/30/pc	45/38/pc
Orlando	76/60/sh	78/60/sh
Seattle	54/46/sh	56/40/pc

World Cities

City	Today	Wed.
Amsterdam	42/37/pc	44/42/sh
Athens	67/51/pc	66/54/r
Berlin	41/37/r	43/36/c
Buenos Aires	73/57/sh	66/54/sh
Calgary	38/18/sh	32/11/s
Dublin	52/41/pc	49/43/pc
Geneva	35/23/pc	32/27/sn
Moscow	38/29/pc	39/34/pc
Rome	51/41/r	53/40/r
Sydney	66/54/c	69/54/pc
Tokyo	73/57/s	66/55/pc

s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

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People

NEIGHBORS

Realtor Conveniently Left Out Newmar Lived Next Door

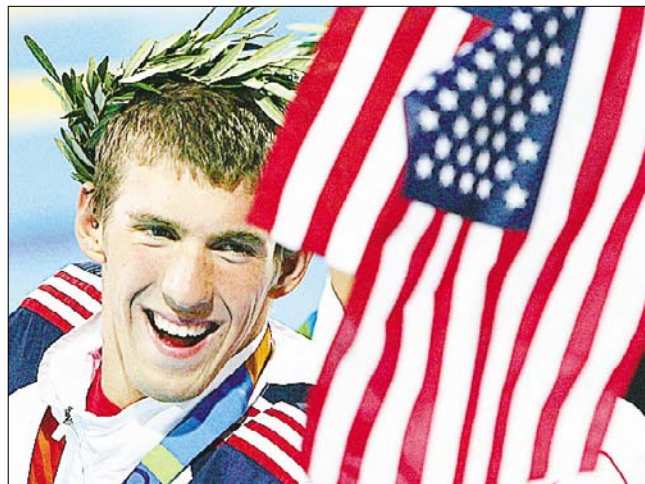
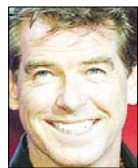
Actor **JAMES BELUSHI** is suing his next-door neighbor Julie Newmar for \$4 million in damages, accusing her of a "campaign of harassment" designed to drive him from his home. Belushi, 50, claims the actress destroyed a fence and landscaping at the home in the upscale Brentwood, Calif., neighborhood and repeatedly made defamatory statements about him. The lawsuit also claims that Newmar spied on Belushi's family from her residence and caused a nuisance by playing loud music directed at his backyard. (AP)



WHINING

Crying on the Floor With the Lights Off Is Very Un-Bond

PIERCE BROSNAN was originally asked to return as 007, before being told his services were no longer needed, leaving him "gutted," he said on "Friday Night with Jonathan Ross." "When they told me, I was angry and the conversation was pretty short and sweet," Brosnan said. "They invited me back, and they changed their minds half-way through negotiations. It's hard to find the truth. If you get uptight it just does your head in, so you've got to let it go. I thought they did me a favor." (EXPRESS)



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POETRY CORNER

Fallen Hero's Ode

Olympic champion **MICHAEL PHELPS**, 19, was arrested Thursday night in Salisbury, Md., and charged with drunken driving, violation of a license restriction and failure to obey a stop sign. We expressed our feelings in verse:

Michael, we looked up to you, your muscles are so strong;
Your medals shined for all to see, on a torso way too long.
The police reported your arrest, a stop sign you did run;
And they said you'd been drinking — but you're not 21!
"Last week I made a mistake," you said. We cannot condemn;
We blame pop culture's influ'nce — we blame that Eminem.

ENDORSEMENTS

SMG's Approval a New Benchmark for Marriage

SARAH MICHELLE GELLAR ripped into reports **REESE WITHERSPOON** and **RYAN PHILLIPPE**'s marriage is in trouble. The actress was adamant the Hollywood couple are an example of a balanced and loving mar-



REUTERS

Returning the favor, Reese said she's confident in Sarah and Freddie's union.

PRUDES

Millions of Teen Boys Must Make Do With Phony Internet Photos

"Closer" director Mike Nichols "supported" **NATALIE PORTMAN**'s "decision" to remove her full-frontal nude scenes from her latest film — even though her character is a stripper, she told Entertainment Weekly. Nichols said the topless footage would stay, but said her fully nude shots would be deleted. Portman, 23, said, "He wants to see



ANDY BUTTERTON/AP

Harvard strippers, you see, never actually remove their clothing. It's complex.

my bare ass much less than [even] my father would." (EXPRESS)

LITIGATION

What's Worse: Toe-Stomping Or the False Accusation Thereof?

BURT REYNOLDS sued a former girlfriend, alleging that she threatened to falsely accuse him of abuse if he didn't pay millions of dollars in extortion. The lawsuit says **PAMELA SEALS** falsely accused Reynolds of yelling and stomping on her toes. Seals, who was Reynolds' girlfriend for 10 years, told the actor she would publicize her allegations if he didn't agree to a hefty settlement that included support for Seals' mother. (AP)



MARK J. TERRILL/AP

riage. "I've known Ryan since I was at high school, and he's very talented and very secure. And when I worked with Reese in "Cruel Intentions" a few years ago, we got on really well," she told World Entertainment News Network. "Their relationship makes perfect sense to me." (EXPRESS)

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On Nov. 9, communist East Germany opened its borders, allowing citizens to travel freely to the West; also, in 1965, several Northeast states and parts of Canada were hit by power failures lasting up to 13 ½ hours.

Mum's the Word | Edited by Timothy E. Parker

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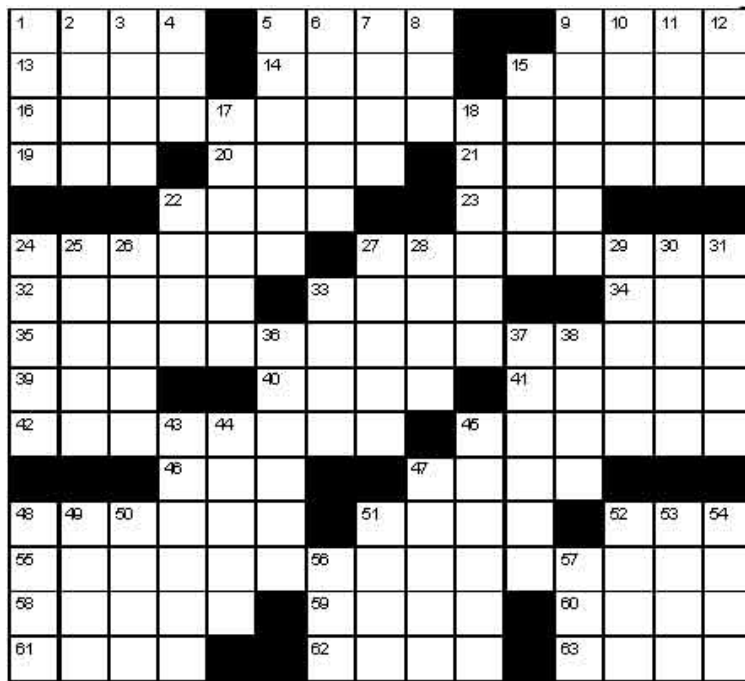
1 City on the Arno
5 Inspires with wonder
9 Track circuits
13 Fateful day in the Forum
14 Enfold
15 Two under par
16 Be silent
19 Auditory organ
20 Jambalaya ingredient
21 Go over again
22 Fuel container
23 Riddle-me-____
24 Time for a break
27 Evaluate again
32 NASA problem part
33 Penn of "The Game"
34 Circus routine
35 Holds an opinion
39 Dutch commune
40 Word with corn or Bible
41 "Jungle Peace" author
42 Returns to original condition
45 Type of arrangement
46 Film star Wallach
47 Kidney, e.g.
48 Build a fire under

51 Touched down

52 Commotion
55 Refrained from talking
58 John on the radio
59 Dollars for quarters
60 Site of the fabled forges of the Cyclopes
61 Trotsky or Spinks
62 Puts a stop to
63 Christmas song

DOWN

1 He reached his peak
2 Brainchild
3 Tea-leaf reader
4 Poisonous snake
5 Porch shade
6 Total
7 Relaxation
8 Watch secretly
9 Facial hair
10 Eastern title
11 Additional
12 One of Adam's boys
15 Fencing swords
17 Asian apes, casually
18 Out-and-out
22 Antler part
24 Not pickled
25 You may be bursting with it
26 Ceremonial practices



27 Spins around
28 Bridge seat
29 Like a beaver
30 Diving acronym
31 Kind of wool
33 Dagger of yore
36 Late-night name
37 Monastic auxiliary
38 Type of sign
43 Ancient German
44 "Maximus to Gloucester" poet Charles
45 Appels, in fencing
47 Towheaded
48 One of Adam's boys
49 Act as arbiter
50 Comic strip pooch
51 Arabian Sea gulf
52 Sax for Bird
53 Eat elegantly
54 Fiery gem
56 "Look ____ ye leap"
57 Bigwig in D.C.

Yesterday's Solution



Horoscope

By Stella Wilder

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) You'll enjoy an opportunity to express yourself in ways you have only imagined. Numerous doors are opening up for you.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) Career pressures cannot be avoided, but you can put them aside and focus on the more pleasant aspects of your life. Make time for others.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Travel plans may have to change slightly, but you'll discover that last-minute alterations only

serve to enhance your enjoyment en route.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) What appeared out of reach only yesterday will loom ahead of you larger than life. A little determination can bring you big rewards.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) You are able to derive a great deal of strength and inspiration from those closest to you — but only if you acknowledge your own weaknesses.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You may be closer to sealing a pact or making a new personal commitment than you had expected. Things are picking up in pace.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You may find that you and a fierce rival are actually compatible when it comes to things that have little or nothing to do with work.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You may have

to wade through numerous meaningless messages before you get to the one that can really make a difference to you.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Concerns about an upcoming career move may not be answered with ease — but you'll be able to illuminate certain key choices.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Questions of policy and other official issues may not be easily avoided. Fortunately, you seem to have an answer for everything.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) This may be an unusually unimaginative day for you — but you can still reap considerable benefits from an unexpected opportunity.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) What you want may be as close to you as merely asking the right people for it. Most problems are less complicated than they appear.

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